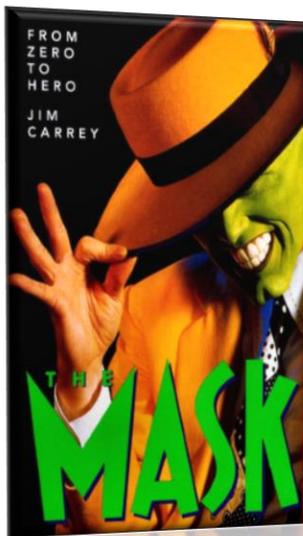


## 15 Film Titles That Describe Life In Lockdown

*There's something about how humour can lighten uncertain situations and make them feel a little less terrifying. So, with that in mind, the Learning Curve have put together a list of 15 film titles that relate to how our lives have changed or how we may be feeling during lockdown. So sit back, relax and choose a great movie from our round-up of lockdown-related film titles. We hope they put a smile on your face!*



### **The Mask (1994)**

Director: Chuck Russell

Stars: Jim Carrey, Cameron Diaz, Peter Riegert

#### Storyline

Stanley Ipkiss (Jim Carrey) is a bank clerk that is an incredibly nice man. Unfortunately, he is too nice for his own good and is a pushover when it comes to confrontations. After one of the worst days of his life, he finds a mask that depicts Loki, the Norse night god of mischief. Now, when he puts it on, he becomes his inner, self: a cartoon romantic wild man. However, a small time crime boss, Dorian Tyrel (Peter Greene), comes across this character dubbed "The Mask" by the media. After Ipkiss's alter ego indirectly kills his friend in crime, Tyrel now wants this green-faced goon destroyed.

### **Five Feet Apart (2019)**

Director: Justin Baldoni

Stars: Haley Lu Richardson, Cole Sprouse, Moises Arias

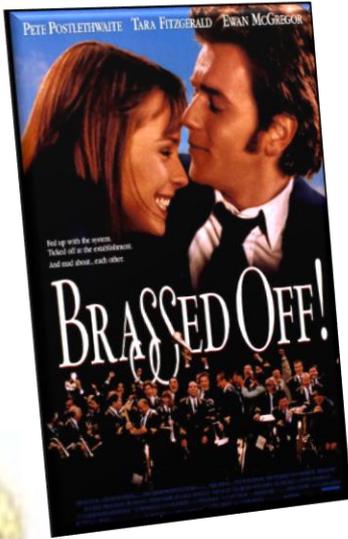
#### Storyline

Seventeen-year-old Stella spends most of her time in the hospital as a cystic fibrosis patient. Her life is full of routines, boundaries and self-control all of which get put to the test when she meets Will, an impossibly charming teen who has the same illness. There's an instant flirtation, through restrictions dictate that they must maintain a safe distance between them. As their connection intensifies, so does the temptation to throw the rules out the window and embrace that attraction. Love has no boundaries.





**Brassed Off (1996)**



Director: Mark Herman  
Stars: Pete Postlethwaite, Tara Fitzgerald, Ewan McGregor

Storyline

In existence for a hundred years, Grimley Colliery Brass band is as old as the mine. But the miners are now deciding whether to fight to keep the pit open, and the future for town and band looks bleak. Although the arrival of flugelhorn player Gloria injects some life into the players, and bandleader Danny continues to exhort them to continue in the national competition, frictions and pressures are all too evident. And whose side is Gloria actually on?

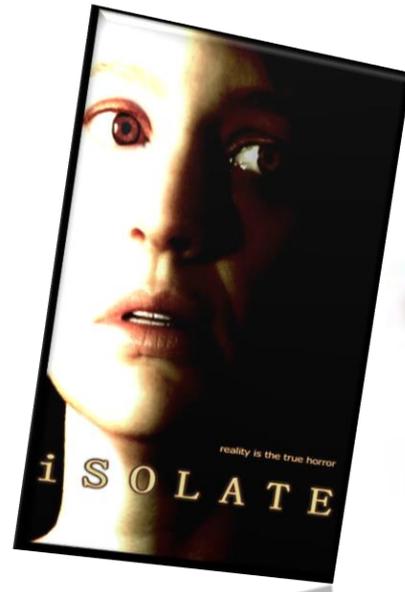


**Isolate (2012)**

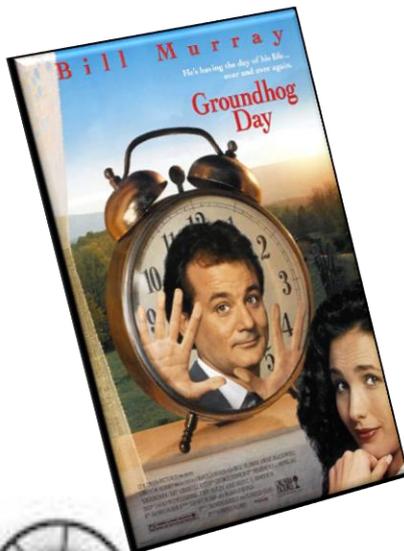
Director: Martyn Park  
Stars: Jacinta John, Terry Serio, Stephen Anderton

Storyline

A young woman returns to her family's remote cattle station after the death of her mother. While working at the property with her ailing father, he disappears. Alone and cut off from all communication, she must find the courage to face the truth if she is ever to unravel the mystery.



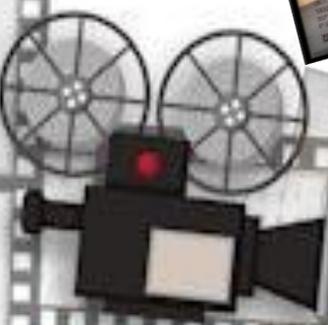
**Groundhog Day (1993)**



Director: Harold Ramis  
Stars: Bill Murray, Andie MacDowell, Chris Elliott

Storyline

A weather man is reluctantly sent to cover a story about a weather forecasting "rat" (as he calls it). This is his fourth year on the story, and he makes no effort to hide his frustration. On awaking the 'following' day he discovers that it's Groundhog Day again, and again, and again. First he uses this to his advantage, then comes the realisation that he is doomed to spend the rest of eternity in the same place, seeing the same people do the same thing EVERY day.





### Quarantine (2008)

Director: John Erick Dowdle  
Stars: Jennifer Carpenter, Steve Harris, Columbus Short



#### Storyline

A television reporter and her cameraman are assigned to spend the night shift with a Los Angeles fire crew. After a routine 911 call takes them to a small apartment building, they find police officers already on the scene in response to blood curdling screams coming from one of the apartments. They soon learn that a woman living in the building has been infected by something unknown. After a few of the residents are viciously attacked, they try to leave with the news crew, only to find the building has quarantined. All communication in and it is stopped; the only evidence of what took place is the news crew's videotape.

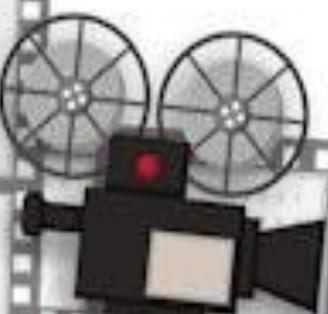


### The Social Network (2010)

Director: David Fincher  
Stars: Jesse Eisenberg, Andrew Garfield, Justin Timberlake

#### Storyline

On a fall night in 2003, Harvard undergrad and computer programming genius Mark Zuckerberg sits down at his computer and heatedly begins working on a new idea. In a fury of blogging and programming, what begins in his dorm room soon becomes a global social network and a revolution in communication. A mere six years and 500 million friends later, Mark Zuckerberg is the youngest billionaire in history... but for this entrepreneur, success leads to both personal and legal complications.





## Home Alone (1990)

Director: Chris Columbus

Stars: Macaulay Culkin, Joe Pesci, Daniel Stern

### Storyline

It is Christmas time and the McCallister family is preparing for a vacation in Paris, France. But the youngest in the family, Kevin (Macaulay Culkin), got into a scuffle with his older brother Buzz (Devin Ratray) and was sent to his room, which is on the third floor of his house. Then, the next morning, while the rest of the family was in a rush to make it to the airport on time, they completely forgot about Kevin, who now has the house all to himself. Being home alone was fun for Kevin, having a pizza all to himself, jumping on his parents' bed, and making a mess. Then, Kevin discovers about two burglars, Harry (Joe Pesci) and Marv (Daniel Stern), about to rob his house on Christmas Eve. Kevin acts quickly by wiring his own house with makeshift booby traps to stop the burglars and to bring them to justice.



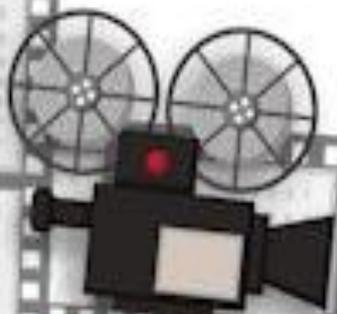
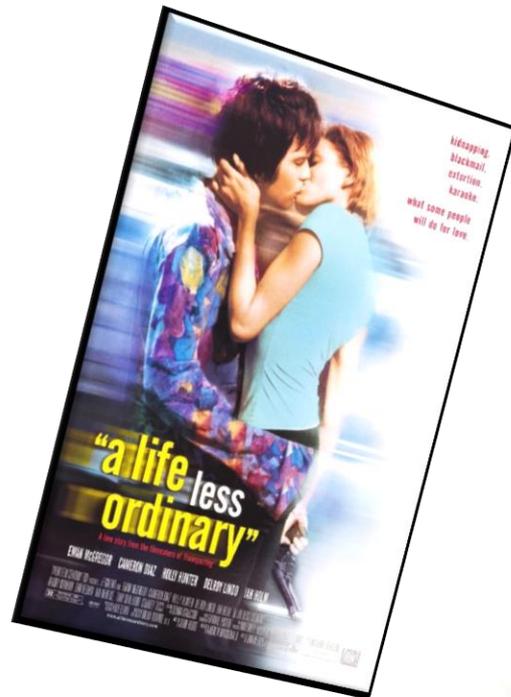
## A Life Less Ordinary (1997)

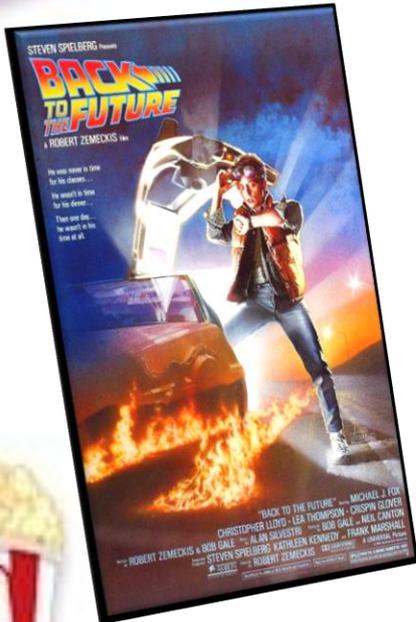
Director: Danny Boyle

Stars: Cameron Diaz, Ewan McGregor, Holly Hunter

### Storyline

Ewan McGregor stars as a cleaning man in Los Angeles, who takes his boss' daughter hostage after being fired and replaced by a robot. Two "angels", who are in charge of human relationships on Earth, offer some unsolicited help to bring this unlikely couple together.





### Back To the Future (1985)

Director: Robert Zemeckis

Stars: Michael J. Fox, Christopher Lloyd, Lea Thompson

#### Storyline

Marty McFly, a typical American teenager of the Eighties, is accidentally sent back to 1955 in a plutonium-powered DeLorean "time machine" invented by a slightly mad scientist. During his often hysterical, always amazing trip back in time, Marty must make certain his teenage parents-to-be meet and fall in love - so he can get back to the future.



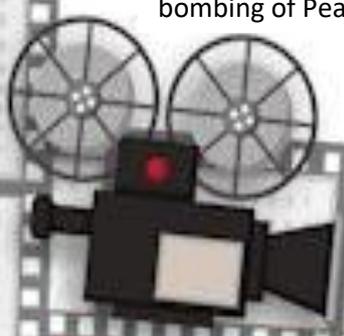
### From Here to Eternity (1953)

Director: Fred Zinnemann

Burt Lancaster, Montgomery Clift, Deborah Kerr

#### Storyline

It's 1941. Robert E. Lee Prewitt has requested Army transfer and has ended up at Schofield in Hawaii. His new captain, Dana Holmes, has heard of his boxing prowess and is keen to get him to represent the company. However, 'Prew' is adamant that he doesn't box anymore, so Captain Holmes gets his subordinates to make his life a living hell. Meanwhile Sergeant Warden starts seeing the captain's wife, who has a history of seeking external relief from a troubled marriage. Prew's friend Maggio has a few altercations with the sadistic stockade Sergeant 'Fatso' Judson, and Prew begins falling in love with social club employee Lorene. Unbeknownst to anyone, the Japanese bombing of Pearl Harbour looms in the distance.





**A Quiet Place (2018)**

Director: John Krasinski  
Stars: Emily Blunt, John Krasinski, Millicent Simmonds

Storyline

Two parents do what it takes to keep their children safe in a world full of creatures hunting every sound they can hear. Not a sound can be heard from the family hiding in silence, but all it takes is one noise and everything can go wrong.

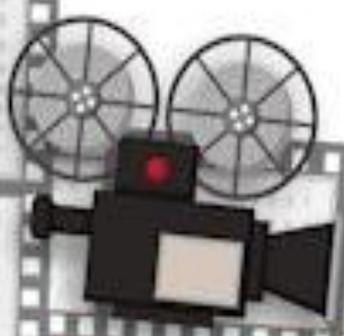
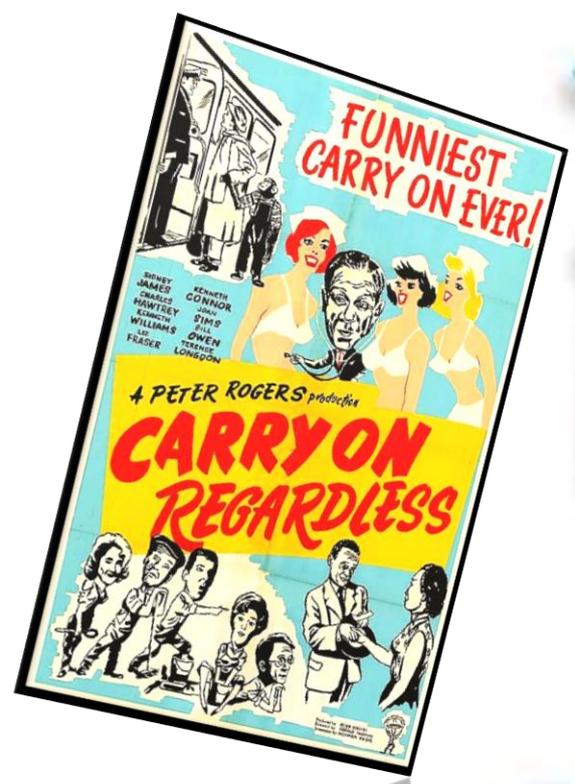


**Carry On Regardless (1961)**

Directors: Gerald Thomas, Ralph Thomas (uncredited)  
Sidney James, Kenneth Connor, Charles Hawtrey

Storyline

The Helping Hands agency employs some very strange people to perform some very strange jobs! Even the simplest of tasks get bungled by the incompetent but lovable staff, as they get given jobs ranging from taking animals for walks (no ordinary animals you understand) to demonstrating new products at a large and prestigious exhibition...





### 28 Weeks Later (2007)

Director: Juan Carlos Fresnadillo

Stars: Jeremy Renner, Rose Byrne, Robert Carlyle

#### Storyline

28 Weeks Later picks up six months after the Rage Virus has decimated the city of London. The US Army has restored order and is repopulating the quarantined city, when a carrier of the Rage Virus enters London and unknowingly re-ignites the spread of the deadly infection and the nightmare begins... again.



### Cabin Fever (2016)

Director: Travis Zariwky

Stars: Gage Golightly, Matthew Daddario, Samuel Davis

#### Storyline

While visiting their getaway cabin, five friends succumb to a flesh-eating disease.

